GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2467
ANSWERED ON:18.03.2005
NATIONAL POWER TARIFF POLICY
Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government is aware of the adverse effect of the continuous increase in power tariffs in the country on the agriculture, industry and common man;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;

(c) the power tariff for different sectors viz. agriculture, industry and domestic in the country, State-wise, particularly in respect of Karnataka;

(d) the extent to cover the hike in power tariff by SEBs in the States recorded during the last three years, State-wise, particularly in Karnataka; and

(e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Union Government to check the frequent hike in power tariff?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER(SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

(a) to (e) : Under the Electricity Act, 2003, the tariff for supply of power to various categories of consumers is to be determined by the State Electricity Regulatory Commissions and in doing so these Commissions are required to be guided by the provisions contained in Section 61 of the Act which, inter alia, include the factors which would encourage competition, efficiency, economical use of the resources, safeguarding of consumer`s interest and at the same time ensure recovery of the cost of electricity in a reasonable manner. The State Commissions are also required to ensure transparency while exercising its powers and discharging its functions.

Statements showing estimated average rate of electricity in different States as on 1.4.2003, 1.4.2004 and 1.3.2005 are at Annexure – I, II & III respectively. Position of change in these rates in Karnataka is at Annexure – IV.

A number of steps have been taken to reduce the cost of power. The benefit under Mega Power Policy which provides for zero customs duty for import of capital equipment and deemed export benefits for domestic suppliers has been extended to all inter-state projects which fulfil the basic criteria of minimum capacity of 1000 MW for thermal and 500 MW for hydel project.

Further, the Government of India has taken following fiscal measures for the power sector:

- Reduction of the aggregate duty on transmission and distribution equipments from the level of 25% (Basic Customs Duty) + 16% (CV Duty) + 4% (Special additional duty) to 10% (BCD) + 16% (CVD).

- Reduction of customs duty on electricity meters from 25% to 15%.

- Reduction of customs duty on coal from 25% to 5%.

The Accelerated Power Development and Reforms Programme (APDRP) have been launched for financing projects for system loss reduction which in turn has the effect of reducing the cost of delivered power.

The Electricity Act, 2003 creates a liberal framework for development of the power sector and reduces the entry barrier in different segments of power supply industry. This is expected to encourage competition and in turn efficiency improvements, resulting in cost reduction and quality supply of power to the consumers at competitive rates.

The Central Government has issued guidelines for Determination of Tariff by bidding under Section 63 of the Electricity Act, 2003 on 19th January 2005. This will encourage competition in procurement of electricity by distribution companies.

ANNEXURE-I

REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2467 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 18.3.2005

STATEMENT SHOWING AVERAGE RATES OF ELECTRICITY (As on 01.04.2003)

Sl. No.	Name of Utility	Tariff effective from	Domestic (100kWh/ Month)	Domestic (400kWh/ Month)	Domestic (1000KWh/ Month)	Commercial (200KWh/ Month)	Commercial (1000KWh/ Month)	Commercial (2000KWh/ Month)	Agriculture (408KWh/ Month)	Agriculture (1089KWh/ 10HP,25%LF 50KW,40%LF 1000KW,65%LF 10000KW,60%LF 15000KW,50%LF (2737500KWh/ Month)	Small (1361KWh/ Month)	Medium (14600KWh/ Month)	Large (474500KWh/ Month)	Heavy (4380000KWh/ Month)	Heavy (5475000KWh/ Month)	Railway Traction Month)
1.	Andhra Pr	01-04-2003	238.5	396.63	492.25	609.75	654.75	660.38	39.58	38.19	419.66	408.12	414.51	460.69	472.4	450.03 at 132/220KV
2.	Assam	01-04-2003	282.2	363.38	395.85	630.18	547.32	550.89	168.2	211.43	326.61 U 379.55 R		385.46	388.41	396.38	234.6 R
3.	Bihar (Urban	01-06-2001	206.7 U 270.3		279.84	1213.91	858.81	858.81	64.95	63.6	693.53	706.93	464.48	467.22	464.56	519.22 at 25KV
	(Rural		63.6 R					269.21 at 132KV								
4.	Chhattishgarh	01-03-1999	157.2	259.73	294.78	438.34	497.95	505.19	73.53	55.1	304.19	396.2	434.59	437.71	427.23	466.69 at 132/220KV
5.	Gujarat (Urban	10-10-2000	391.5 U 516.38 U 588.6 U 638			677.15	679.33	65.36	62.14	401.17	459.36 F 513.96		554.24	565.38	540.95	
	(Rural		333.5 R 439.88 R 501.4 R													
6.	Haryana	01-09-2001	338	384.25	419.5	434	434	434	65	65	443	443	424	424	412	441.23 at 11KV
7	Himachal Pra.	01-11-2001	115.75	199.69	227.48	327.5	317.5	316.25	69.9	66.84	258.84	257.17	276.54	279.11	282.47	
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	01-04-1999	292.8	244	244	489.22	311.1	311.1	40.26	40.26	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7		
9.	Jharkhand (Urban	March 2001	139 U 150.75		161.1	451	287.8	289.9	40.15	31.09	157.09	140.54	211.99	214.58	212.07	275.21 at 25KV
	(Rural		46 R					269.21 at 132KV								
10.	Karnataka	01-04-2003	323.93	420.92	473.92	644.44	609.26	611.76	64.51	58.37	388.82	449.57	466.29	480.07	489.42	456.7 at 11KV
11.	Kerala	01-10-2002	187	398.89	517.61	792	936.1	976.8	77.97	76.35	386.6	374.45	379.44	385.02		348.67 at 110KV
12.	Madhya Pradesh	19-12-2002	314.5 U 404.36 U 421.05 U 514.38			672.79	674.18	120	105.6	427.42	533.14	469.35	505.47	498.88	467.1 at 132/220KV	
			286 R 346.94 R 360.78 R													
13.	Maharashtra	01-01-2002	301.46	406.39	488.95	458.35	586.61	605.82	123.28	117.44	333.13	366.75	431.31	438.44	427	
14.	Meghalaya	01-09-2001	130	182.5	205	288.5	314.5	317.75	76	76	266.12	287.77	219.75	222.23		
15.	Orissa	01-05-2002	135	315	315	415	455	455	105	105	320	340	344.26	357.06	384.46	407.45 at 25/33KV
16.	Punjab	01-08-2002	201.4	311.39	348.09	429.25	429.25	429.25	57	55.1	324.25	367.3	376.75	376.75	365.57	465 at 11KV
17.	Rajasthan (Urban	01-04-2001	322.5	305.63 U 302.25 U 555		551	553	105.03	83.4	391.04	417.66	447.07	448.83	450.19	446.66	
	(Rural		292.75	277.57 R 274.53 R												
18.	Tamil Nadu	16-03-2003	204.75	359.63	442.58	598.5	606.9	607.95	20	20	327.81	493.72	445.6	462.61	469.04	511.16
19.	U.P. (Urban	09-11-2002	321.5 U 327.13		316.25	599	491	492.5	72.25	64.28	413.09 U 396.54 U 393.63 U 397.35 U 383.79 U 471.7 Below 132KV					
	(Rural		99 R	350.98 R 336.91 R 337.43 R 340.63 R 325.74 R 433.64 132KV and above											
20.	Uttaranchal (Urb.	01-01-2002	229 U 239	273	484	454	460.25	67.4	50.51	386.04	404.66	346.15	349.66	340.22	479.21 at 25KV	
	(Rural		72 R			467.52 132KV and below										
21.	W.B. (Urban	01-04-2001	200.81 U 330.9 U 397.75 U 367.4 U 461.25 U 461.25 U 74.67							173	341.58	421.96	391.98	369.1	379.5	391.7 at 25KV
	(Rural		171.68 R 310 R 354.75 R 356.95 R 450 R 450 R							361.7 at 132KV						
22.	Arunachal Pr.	01-02-2000	162.5	211.78	231.75	357.5	387.5	391.25	–	–	345	361.44	393.95	394.89	–	–
23.	Goa	01-04-2002	122	170.75	216.5	314.5	344.5	363.25	102	102	257	297	339.19	342.29	350.35	–
24.	Manipur	03-09-2002	262.2	299.7	–	429.7	302.2	396.6	272.2	272.2	287.2	367.41	334.61	335.33	337.2	–
25.	Mizoram Distt. HQ & sub. Divn. Area	01-08-2002	115	171.25	143.5	250	300	300	70	70	165.32	101.23	62.01	67.15	80.58	–
	Other Areas		163.75	140.5												
26.	Nagaland (Urban	01-06-2001	250 U 300 U 300 U 350		380	380	150	150	250	275	275	275	–	–		
	(Rural		200 R 200 R 200 R													
27.	Sikkim (Urban	15-08-2002	90	230.63	281.25	270	375	387.5	157.5	225.7	355.4 U 216.26 R		258.47	261.26	–	–
	(Rural		252.54 R													
28.	Tripura	01-08-2001	346	240	220	755	330	363	75	120	175	209.45	–	–	–	–
29.	A & N Islands	01-11-2001	115	243.75	289.5	330	410	420	75	75	285.3	298.63	–	–	–	–
30.	Chandigarh	01-11-2002	160.75	246.94	282.18	401	401	401	103.68	102.75	301	336	381	381	369.9	–
31.	D & N Haveli	01-02-1987	72.5	85.63	88.25	122	124.4	124.7	50	50	170.1	170.36	180.86	181.85	–	–
32.	Daman & Diu	01-09-2002	130	172.5	204	237.5	263.5	266.75	55	55	230	251.48	258.83	261.01	–	–
33.	Delhi	01-06-2001	157.5	252	327.6	525	462	525	78.75	78.75	430.5	430.5	459.05	462.3	454.8	480.58 at 11KV
34.	NDMC	01-06-2001	158	252.25	327.7	500	462	525	–	–	431	431	–	–	–	576
35.	Lakshadweep	01-04-2000	200	337.5	375	650	650	650	–	–	450	450	–	–	–	–
36.	Pondicherry	16-04-2002	55	113.75	150.5	348.4	340.08	339.04	11.74	7.27	246.24	258.72	317.52	333.42	–	–
37.	Ahmedabad Elec. Co.	01-08-2002	389.4	453.75	482.46	573.79	676.04	684.8	327.54	327.54	382.72	418.39	426.27	429.83	–	–

38. Kolkata (CESC) 01-04-2003 270.8 462.92 543.95 314.93 635.63 435.24 - - 474.44 532.13 528.53 532.09 524.4 537.94
39. D.V.C. (A) 01-09-2000 - - - 506 623.25 635.63 - - - - 320.42 328.33 334.89 409.32 at 33KV
Jharkhand Area
(B) W.B.Area - - - - - - - - - - 336.38 344.89 351.94 391.37 at 132KV
40. Durgapur 01-05-1999 180.25 338.44 404.83 361.18 467 467 207 293.54 327.66 445.44 400.46 406.46 - -
Projects Ltd.
41. Mumbai(B.E.S.T) 15-07-1997 84 305.51 441.48 622 757.6 802.8 - - 669.06 721.15 418.43 E 422.08 E - -
(B.S.E.S) 01-04-2000 154.56 436.31 447.86 603.58 636.01 647.48 - - 565.01 473.47 343.34 323.64 - -
(TATA`S) 01-12-1998 145.6 324.53 381.6 419.29 419.29 419.29 - - 400.44 400.44 365.97 369.64 379.23 400.44 6.6KV to 33KV

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1.	Andhra Pradesh	01-04-2004	238.5	396.63	492.25	583.5	621.5	626.25	39.58	38.19 D	409.66	398.12	404.51	449.68	461.41	440.03 at 132/220KV	42.01 O
2.	Assam	01-04-2003	282.2	363.38	395.85	630.18	547.32	550.89	168.2	211.43	326.61 U	379.55	385.46	388.41	396.38	234.6 R	
3.	Bihar (Urban	01-06-2001	206.7 U	270.3	279.84	1213.91	858.81	858.81	64.95	63.6	693.53	706.93	464.48	467.22	464.56	519.22 at 25KV	
	(Rural		63.6 R													269.21 at 132KV	
4.	Chhattishgarh	01-03-1999	157.2	259.73	294.78	438.34	497.95	505.19	73.53	55.1	304.19	396.2	434.59	437.71	427.23	466.69 at 132/220KV	
5.	Gujarat (Urban	01-10-2000	391.5 U	516.38 U	588.6 U	638	677.15	679.33	65.36	62.14	401.17	459.36 F	513.96	554.24	565.38	540.95	
	(Rural		333.5 R	439.88 R	501.4 R												
6.	Haryana	01-09-2001	338	384.25	419.5	434	434	434	65	65	443	443	424	424	412	441.23 at 11KV	
7	Himachal Pr.	01-11-2001	115.75	199.69	227.48	327.5	317.5	316.25	69.9	66.84	258.84	257.17	276.54	279.11	282.47		
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	01-04-1999	292.8	244	244	489.22	311.1	311.1	40.26	40.26	164.7	164.7	164.7	164.7			
9.	Jharkhand(Urban	March 2001	139 U	150.75	161.1	451	287.8	289.9	40.15	31.09	157.09	140.54	211.99	214.58	212.07	275.21 at 25KV	
	(Rural		46 R													269.21 at 132KV	
10.	Karnataka	01-04-2003	323.93	420.92	473.92	644.44	609.26	611.76	64.51	58.37	388.82	449.57	466.29	480.07	489.42	456.7 at 11KV	
11.	Kerala	01-10-2002	187	398.89	517.61	792	936.1	976.8	77.97	76.35	386.6	374.45	379.44	385.02	348.67 at 110KV		
12.	Madhya Pradesh	19-12-2002	314.5 U	404.36 U	421.05 U	514.38	672.79	674.18	120	105.6	427.42	533.14	469.35	505.47	498.88	467.1 at 132/220KV	
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13.	Maharashtra	01-01-2002	305.46	410.39	492.95	462.35	590.61	609.82	128.18	121.12	337.13	370.75	435.31	442.44	431.00		
14.	Meghalaya	01-09-2001	130	182.5	205	288.5	314.5	317.75	76	76	266.12	287.77	219.75	222.23			
15.	Orissa	01-01-2004	175	265	295	370	434	444.5	105	105	320	336.8	341.01	353.69	380.82	403.37 at 25/33KV	
16.	Punjab	01-05-2003	220.3	334.23	365.41	441.85	441.85	441.85	57	55.1	334.75	378.85	388.3	388.3	376.77	451 at 11KV	
17.	Rajasthan(Urban	01-04-2001	322.5	305.63 U	302.25 U	555	551	553	105.03	83.4	391.04	417.66	447.07	448.83	450.19	446.66	
	(Rural		292.75	277.57 R	274.53 R												
18.	Tamil Nadu	16-03-2003	204.75	359.63	442.58	598.5	606.9	607.95	20	20	327.81	493.72	445.6	462.61	469.04	511.16	
19.	U.P.(Urban	01-09-2003	341.5 U	347.13	336.25	609	489	489	72.25	64.28	423.09 U	406.54 U	403.63 U	407.35 U	398.79 U	471.7 Below 132KV	
	(Rural		109 R			360.98 R	346.91 R	347.43 R	350.63 R	340.74 R	433.64	132KV and above					
20.	Uttaranchal(Urban	01-01-2004	219 U	210	219	359	359	359	67.4	50.51	287.06	274.66	263.52	266.11	272.82		
	(Rural		89.28 R					467.52	132KV and below								
21.	W.B.(Urban	01-04-2003	252.81 U	382.9 U	449.75 U	419.4 U	513.25 U	513.25 U	74.67	173	393.58	473.96	391.9852	421.1	431.5	443.7 at 25KV	
	(Rural		223.68 R	362 R	406.75 R	408.95 R	502 R	502 R					413.7 at 132KV				
22.	Arunachal Pr.	01-02-2000	162.5	211.78	231.75	357.5	387.5	391.25	-	-	345	361.44	393.95	394.89	-	-	
23.	Goa	01-04-2002	122	170.75	216.5	314.5	344.5	363.25	102	102	257	297	339.19	342.29	350.35	-	
24.	Manipur	03-09-2002	262.2	299.7	-	429.7	302.2	396.6	272.2	272.2	287.2	367.41	334.61	335.33	337.2	-	
25.	Mizoram Distt.	01-08-2002	115	171.25	143.5	250	300	300	70	70	165.32	101.23	62.01	67.15	80.58	-	
	HQ & sub.Divn.																
	Area																
	Other Areas		163.75	140.5													
26.	Nagaland(Urban	01-06-2001	250 U	300 U	300 U	350	380	380	150	150	250	275	275	275	-	-	
	(Rural		200 R	200 R	200 R												
27.	Sikkim (Urban	15-08-2002	90	230.63	281.25	270	375	387.5	157.5	225.7	355.4 U	216.26	258.47	261.26	-	-	
	(Rural										252.54 R						
28.	Tripura	01-07-2003	460	325	300	1017.5	440	440	75	120	240	270	-	-	-	-	
29.	A & N Islands	01-11-2001	115	243.75	289.5	330	410	420	75	75	285.3	298.63	-	-	-	-	
30.	Chandigarh	01-11-2002	160.75	246.94	282.18	401	401	401	103.68	102.75	301	336	381	381	369.9	-	
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33.	Delhi BSES/NDPL	04-07-2003	204.75	291.38	364.35	551.25	519.75	561.75	125.1	122.69	478.76	474.44	502.29	505.54	501.15	524 at 11KV	
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	Elec. Co.																
38.	Kolkata (CESC)	01-04-2003	270.8	462.92	543.95	314.93	635.63	435.24	-	-	474.44	532.13	528.53	532.09	524.4	537.94	
39.	D.V.C.	01-09-2000	-	-	-	506	623.25	635.63	-	-	-	320.42	328.33	334.89	409.32 at 33KV		
	(A) Jharkhand																
	Area																
	(B) W.B.Area		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	336.38	344.89	351.94	391.37 at 132KV		
40.	Durgapur	01-05-1999	180.25	338.44	404.83	361.18	467	467	207	293.54	327.66	445.44	400.46	406.46	-	-	
	Projects Ltd.																
41.	Mumbai(B.E.S.T)	15-07-1997	84	305.51	441.48	622	757.6	802.8	-	-	669.06	721.15	418.43 E	422.08 E	-	-	
	(B.S.E.S)	01-04-2000	154.56	436.31	447.86	603.58	636.01	647.48	-	-	565.01	473.47	343.34	323.64	-	-	
	(TATA`S)	01-12-1998	145.6	324.53	381.6	419.29	419.29	419.29	-	-	400.44	400.44	365.97	369.64	379.23	400.44 6.6KV to 33KV	

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STATEMENT SHOWING AVERAGE RATES OF ELECTRICITY (Updated upto 01.03.2005)

(Rates in Paise/KWh)

S.No. Name of Utility	Tariff effective from	Domestic 1KW (100 KWh/ Month)	Domestic 4KW (400 KWh/ Month)	Domestic 10KW (1000 KWh/ Month)	Commercial 2KW (300 KWh/ Month)	Commercial 10KW (1500 KWh/ Month)	Commercial 30KW (4500 KWh/ Month)	Commercial 50KW (7500 KWh/ Month)	Agri. 2HP (400 KWh/ Month)	Agri. 5HP (1000 KWh/ Month)	Agri. 10HP (2000 KWh/ Month)	Small Ind.10KW (1500 KWh/ Month)	Medium Ind.50KW (7500 KWh/ 1000KW (438000 KWh/ Month)	Large Ind. 10000KW (4380000 KWh/ Month)	Heavy Ind. 33KV) (60% L.F. 8760000 KWh/ Month)	Heavy Ind. 12500KW (60% L.F.	Railway Traction 20000KW (25000000 KWh/Month)
1. Andhra Pradesh	01-04-2004	238.5	396.63	492.25	599.33	624.67	628.89	629.73	0	0	0	415.4	414.33	408.55	449.68	449.67	440.03
2. Assam	01-08-2004	277.45	388.6	438.15	527.53	545.48	548.47	549.06	174.17	215.79	276.12	345.73 U 428.1 R 268.35 R		388.54	388.41	378	
3. Bihar	01-06-2001	206.7 U 237.18 R 63.6 R		279.84	743.98 U 805.81 R 276.87 R		805.81	805.81	40.5	40.5	40.5	703.65	743.79	469.44	469.44	460.06	530.51 at 25KV 524.51 at 132KV
4. Chhattishgarh	01-03-1999	157.2	253.03	291.62	462.97	502.52	509.13	510.46	30	30	30	305.39	409.39	436.71	436.71	428.15	449.81 at 132KV
5. Gujarat	25-06-2004	391.84 U 516.46 U 588.71 U 589.61 276.29 R 382.44 R 443.99 R					626.47	631.83	632.89	57.75	57.75	57.75	450.02	465.81	518.63	557.35	556.91 549.12 at 132KV
6. Haryana	01-09-2001	333	379.25	414.5	429	429	429	429	24	24	24	438	438	419	419	407	409 at 11KV
7 Himachal Pradesh	01-10-2004	126.75	202.44	228.58	381.67	368.33	320.93	320.04	70	67	66	335.33	327.04	306.76	306.72	303.02	
8. Jammu & Kashmir	01-04-1999	122	222	222	277	277	277	277	102	102	102	157	157	157	157		
9. Jharkhand	March 2001	139 U 146.75 R 36 R		161.1	224.67	249.2	251.07	251.44	18.75	18.75	18.75	166.62	203.49	216.67	216.67	207.82	286.5 at 25KV 280.5 at 132KV
10. Karnataka	01-04-2003	292.43	413.05	473.92	585.38	598.68	600.89	601.34	50	50	50	397.4	491.08	469.28	480.07	479.62	465.88
11. Kerala	01-10-2002	187	398.89	517.61	727.84	889.9	962.74	969.98	74.8	74.8	74.8	390.5	390.5	385.02	385.02	360.29 at 110KV	
12. Madhya Pradesh	19-12-2002	314.5 U 391.39 U 415.24 U 501.25 286 R 334.98 R 355.8 R					486.1	478.62	477.13	47.5	56	57.5	414.84	548.86	472.46	505.47	490.43 474.33 at 132KV
13. Maharashtra	01-12-2003	345.16	383.95	447.7	492.65	546.13	559.44	562.11	81.5	81.5	81.5	243.47	243.47	415.55 B 404.57 O	415.55 B 404.56 O	401	
14. Meghalaya	01-11-2003	160	223.75	251.5	367.67	398.33	403.44	404.47	106	106	106	341.67	374.33	234.07	233.68		
15. Orissa	01-01-2004	175	265	295	385	441	450.33	452.2	105	105	105	320	336.8	353.74	353.69	353.69	413.48 at 25/33KV
16. Punjab	01-10-2004	210 U 320.51 U 350.6 U 403.2 189 R 288.47 R 315.54 R					403.2	403.2	403.2	31.5	31.5	31.5	321.3	353.85	353.85	353.85	343.23 402 at 132KV
17. Rajasthan	01-04-2001	337.5 U 320.63 U 317.25 U 556.67 315.25 R 294.44 R 290.28 R					554	555.78	556.13	48.56	46.2	45.41	410.81	452.21	465.17	465.17	465.17 453.94
18. Tamil Nadu	16-06-2004	126	227.06	282.98	610.75	609.35	609.12	609.07	0	0	0	458.85	486.57	452.11	462.61	452.11	526.47
19. Uttar Pradesh	11-10-2004	282 U 339.75 124 R 112.75		351.3 110.5	452.33 U 452.33 152.33 R 152.33		452.33 152.33	452.33 152.33	452.33 45 R	224 U 224 U 452.33 U 452.33 U 438.36 U 439.38 U 472.22 Below 132KV 45 R 408 R 408 R 395.42 R 395.42 R 378.34 R 452.78 132KV and above							
20. Uttaranchal	20-09-2003	225 U 225 63 R 63 R		225	365	365	365	365	75.6 U 75.6 U 75.6 U 305.21				305.21	282.1	282.1	282.1	
21. West Bengal	01-04-2004	224.58 U 284.38 U 349.16 U 363.51 U 515.35 U 513.56 U 513.2 U 189.14 218.15 R 273.38 R 331.54 R 355.96 R 502.23 R 505.51 R 506.17 R 395 R 430.68 R 417.36 at 132KV															189.14 412.2 U 448.87 U 446 419.66 419.66 446.76 at 25KV
22. Arunachal Pradesh	01-02-2000	162.5	211.88	231.75	370	390	393.33	394	-	-	-	345	353.33	393.86	394.89	-	-
23. Goa	01-04-2002	122	170.75	216.5	327	357	373.67	377	102	102	102	257	297	342.29	342.29	342.29	-
24. Manipur	03-09-2002	262.2	299.7	302.2	302.2	302.2	381.8	381.8	272.2	272.2	272.2	287.2	381.8	336.09	336.09	336.09	-
25. Mizoram (Distt.HQ & sub.Divn. Area)	01-08-2002	115	145	148	233.33	233.33	233.33	233.33	233.33	69.94	69.94	69.94	208.33	208.33	71.35	71.35	71.35 -
Other Areas		133.75	143.5														
26. Nagaland	01-06-2001	235 U 276.25 U 290.5 U 346 200 R 200 R 200 R					373.2	377.73	378.64	150	150	150	243.33	257	274.69	274.97	- -
27. Sikkim	15-08-2002	90	230.63	281.25	292.5	345	355	357	157.5	213.75	286.88	360 U 250.59 R 262.5 R		261.26	261.26	-	-
28. Tripura	01-07-2003	200	270	460	320	400	400	400	75	75	120	240	270	-	-	-	-
29. A & N Islands	01-07-2003	130	275	326	406.67	465.33	475.11	477.07	90	90	90	316.67	327.33	-	-	-	-
30. Chandigarh	01-11-2002	160.75	246.94	282.18	401	401	401	401	101.5	101.5	101.5	301	336	381	381	369.9	-
31. Dadra & Nagar Haveli	01-09-2002	130	172.5	204	270	270	270	270	55	55	55	230	243.4	273.68	299.87	-	-
32. Daman & Diu	01-09-2002	130	172.5	204	248.33	265.67	268.56	269.13	55	55	55	230	262.34	259.97	261	-	-
33. Delhi	BSES/NDPL	19-06-2004	252	317.63	390.6	570.5	570.5	596.75	596.75	135.17	135.17	135.17	533.75	533.75	548.77	548.77	536.11 518.38 at 11KV
34. Delhi	NDMC	01-06-2001	158	252.25	327.7	462	525	525	525	-	-	-	431	431	-	-	- 576
35. Lakshadweep	01-09-2004	100	300	300	480	480	480	480	-	-	-	330	330	-	-	-	
36. Pondicherry	16-04-2002	55	113.75	150.5	274.74	325.34	333.78	335.47	235	20.67	19.83	247.52	257.5	320.15	332.72	-	-
37. Ahmedabad Elec. Co.	01-08-2002	389.4	450.45	482.47	613.71	681.88	688.91	691.22	327.54	327.54	327.54	396.72	446.4	429.83	429.83	-	-
38. Kolkata (CESC)	01-04-2004	318.99	489.88	489.88	489.88	495.88	540.23	540.23	540.23	-	-	-	458.27	484.61	461.41	461.41	444.76 445
39. D.V.C. (A) Bihar Area (B) West Bengal Area	01-09-2000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	328.33	328.33	328.33	427.95 at 33KV	
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	344.89	344.89	344.89	409.06 at 132KV	
40. Durgapur Projects Ltd.	01-04-2004	238	280.13	280.13	283.66	304.38	302.88	302.58	281.5	281.5	281.5	319.18	318.04	321.75	321.75	-	-
41. Mumbai (B.E.S.T)	15-07-1997	99	299.5	428.45	606	764.2	1009.81	1009.81	-	-	-	658.38	827.41	528.29	528.29	-	-
Mumbai (B.S.E.S)	01-04-2000	169.56	451.31	462.86	622.58	662.66	672.85	674.89	-	-	-	585.65	567.35	366.42	342.64	-	-
Mumbai (TATA`S)	01-06-2004	181.6	338.05	410.34	522.98	477.78	477.78	477.78	-	-	-	449.36	449.36	424.57	424.57	424.57	457.4 33/22/11/6.6KV

The Average rates are inclusive of FCA wherever applicable

U : URBAN
R : RURAL
B : BMR/PMR Areas
O : Other Areas

Tariffs notified have varrying parameters for tariff in respect of various categories of consumers.
The above comparision is for certain assumed load and consumption levels in a month.

The statement has been prepared on the basis of Electricity Tariff, Electricity Duty/Tax and FCA
as reported to F.S.&A Division, CEA upto 01-03-2005

ANNEXURE-IV

REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2467 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 18.03.2005.

Average rates of electricity in Karnataka (Rate in paise/Unit)

Date	Domestic (2KW)	Domestic (5KW)	Commercial (5 HP)	Agriculture (10 HP)	Agriculture (10 HP)	Small Ind. (1000 KW)	Large Ind. (15000 KW)	Heavy Ind.	Inflation Index(CPI)
29/12/2000	231.00	410.88	633.75	64.51	58.37	390.30	464.09	486.11	434 (during 1999-00)
Present (last revised on 01/04/2003)	323.93	420.02	644.44	64.51	58.37	388.82	466.29	489.42	525 (as on Nov.`2004)
% Increase	40.23%	2.22%	1.69%	0.00%	0.00%	-0.38%	0.47%	0.68%	20.97%
Annualised Growth Rate (%)	10.06%	0.56%	0.42%	0.00%	0.00%	-0.09%	0.12%	0.17%	5.24%